When Stepson Makes Threat-

ening Move During Quarrel.

### Miller & Rhoads

To-Day, Friday, July 4th, The Store Will Be Closed All Day.

# TROOPS LEAVE FOR ORDERLY FOURTH CAMP ON SUNDAY IS POLICE SLOGAN Blues Go to Basic City Week Use of Torpedo Canes, Placing Following—Hitch in Artil Explosives on Tracks and A special bond issue of \$100,000, to be used for the improvement of Richmond's fire fighting force, will be asked by the Board of Fire Commissioners in a formal recommendation to the by a committee, consisting of Commissioners Robert Lecky, Jr., chairman; William D. Franklin and Stanley B. Tyler. If the paper can be drafted in time, it will be presented at the meeting of the Common Council next Monday night. Shotgun, one load of No. 4 bird-shot penetrating Fortune's right lung. Allen made no attempt to escape, but quietly accompanied County Officer George Jarrell to the City Jall, where he was charged with felonious shooting. The wounded man is not expected to live through the day. In mally charged with his murder, Fortune, it is claimed, had been drinking, and on coming to the home of his mother, took off his shoes and meeting of the Common Council next Monday night.

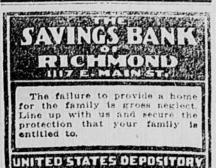
Following-Hitch in Artillery Arrangements.

Final orders are being issued from the office of Adjutant-General W. W. Sale for the State infantry encampment tion at 11 A.M., and make the trip over the Norfolk and Western, through to the camp site. At Petersburg addi-tional coaches will be added to the train for the companies from Peters-burg, Lynchburg and Danville. In all there will be three regiments made up and medical corps, in attendance on the camp. About 200 local men will make the trip, in Companies A. B. C and

artillery movements, as the War Department has recently issued an order increasing the minimum limit of enumer to batteries taking part in this encampment. As all men going to camp must have been regularly entisted for three months, this notice did not be a substantial to the work of the work isted for three months, this notice did of arrive in time to allow the com-anies to recruit to their full strength, and it may be that for the purposes of the Pennsylvania encampment the three batteries of Virginia artillery may be cast into two, the Richmond Howitzers not being formally ordered out, but attached by squads to the other two organizations. The full details will not be appounded with the appropriate the second control of the con tails will not be announced until fur-ther correspondence is had with the War Department official in charge of the artillery encampment.

### IDENTIFY BODY

Qualify in Chancery Court, W. J. Baker, administrator of Mary rances Baker, qualified yesterday in the hancery Court. The estate is valued at



Explosives on Tracks and Firecrackers Prohibited.

W. Ainslie, Chief of Police Werner yessubject of fire hazards in Richmond.
The not altogether favorable comment the office of Adjutant-General W. W. Sale for the State infantry encampment at Virginia Bench next week. The First Brigade, under Brigadier-General C. C. Vaughan, will go into camp on Monday for a period of seven days. Major Lawrence T. Price, commanding the First Battalion, First Virginia Regiment, of Richmond, has orders for his men to assemble at their temporary armory on Sunday morning at 3 o'clock. They will entrain at Byrd Street Station at 11 A. M., and make the trip tion at 11 A. M., a extensively used not only by young America, but adults, in the celebration of July 4, contain dynamite. In cases nor more than \$20 may be imposed.

Policemen have received instructions

The week following the Richmond Light Infantry Blues will go into camp at Basic City, under Major E. W. Rowles, on camping ground heretofore occupied by that organization.

Has betweek and Sane who so between the second bounds in celebrating Independence Day will be haled before Justice Crutchfield.

It is with the view of making the Fourth "Safe and Sane" that Mayor

Rowles, on camping ground heretofore occupied by that organization.

In August the artillery companies of the State will take part in government maneouvres in Pennsylvania. Some hitch has occurred in regard to the artillery movements as the War Lead of the state will be a some hitch has occurred in regard to the artillery movements as the War Lead of the state will be a some hitch has occurred in regard to the artillery movements as the way to be a some hitch has occurred in regard to the state of dangerous explosives and the use of dangerous explosives are used to be used

### **GET HEARING TO-MORROW**

Case Against Suspicious Characters Continued in Order to Get Evidence. In order to give detectives a chance Edward C. Randell, Catherine Hartford and Helen Parker, the alleged suspicious characters arrested Wednesday night, was continued yesterday in Police Court until to-morrow morning. Captain of Detectives McMahon said he would get in touch with the New York police in an effort to find out something concerning the quartet. All

### WILL REVIEW TROOPS

fication was made by the man's brother and several fellow-workmen. Howell was drowned, according to their story, while in swimming Sunday morning. Although several days elapsed, the men made no report to the county authorities. The discovery of the body was made by Captain Furman, of the Aurora. County Officers Webb Sydner and John Shomaker superintended the burial of the hody vesterday, the grave being dug along the river bank. Dr. J. Fulmer Bright, of Henrico County, after viewing the body deemed an inquest unnecessary.

Governor of Nevada and Staff to Visit virginia Heach next Monspection of the encampment of State militia at Virginia Feach next Monday. Governor Oddie is making a rip through several Eastern States, and has notified Adjutant-General Sale of his desire to visit the encampment on Monday and inspect the Virginia troops. Governor Mann will designate members of his staff to receive the visiting executive and conduct him to the encampment.

### AWARDS CONTRACT

way from the unbelievable fields of lee and snow that lie up that way somewhere.

By 8 o'clock in the evening it had persuaded the mercury down to \$1 degrees without a cloud in the sky. Generally the relief has come in the shape of an electrical storm.

According to the dope on the weather man's report, yesterday was one of the coolest days of the summer all over the country. Ninety-four was the highest figure on the sheet, while in Jane there were few days that some section of the country was not sweltering under at least 96 or 37. Raleigh and Pittsburgh, Jacksonville and Chicago were among the cities that shared the honor of being the hottest, which poes to show that latitude has not much to do with the cool spots. At lanta, Charleston and Montgomery were also in the very hot class, while Tampa and Louisville, with 92 degrees, were the only other cities with a temperature above 96.

But "warmer" is the dope for to-day, Did you ever see snow on July 4?

### HUGE SUM WANTED FAMILY ARGUMENT FOR IMPROVEMENT

Fire Commissioners to Ask \$100,-000 Bond Issue to Re-Equip Department.

NEED NEW ALARM SYSTEM

Board Also Desires New Auto

Apparatus to Supplement

Present Force.

Bearing, he claimed, that he was in danger of bodily harm at the hands of his relative, Charlos Allen, colored, fifty years old, last night shortly before 9 o'clock, shot and mortally wounded his stepson, Oscar Fortune, alias "Pinky," twenty-four years old. The shooting occurred during a quarrel at Allen's home on River Road, Swansboro. The weapon used was a shotgun, one load of No. 4 bird-shot penetrating Fortune's right lung.

Monday night.

This move on the part of the Board of Fire Commissioners is the result of the recent report of the National Board of Fire Underwriters on the

To Motorize Department. The committee proposes to ask the Council to continue the \$25,000 annual appropriation for "expense," which is Policemen have received instructions

Policemen have received instructions used for general improvements, and in addition authorize the special bond the use of explosives in the vicinity issue of \$100,000, the bonds to mature

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in the city. There are already two leading the southern Pacine Railway, who of \$25
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the southern dispatchers "the men erail motor fire engines in the department. and twelve more would have to be purchased. The horse-drawn apparatus would be retained, which would equip the city with a force of twenty-six engines. The rest of the huge sum is to be used in installing more modern system of fire alarms and in successions.

ern system of fire alarms and in put-ting entirely new equipment in the fire alarm headquarters.

The reform in the distribution of the water supply the Fire Commissioners are willing to leave in the hands of are willing to leave in the Administrative Board. leave in the hands of

### ST. PAUL'S CHURCH FAY, CRACKSMAN, IS BEING REPAIRED

New Communion Table as Mem- Government Recovers \$15,000 orial to Mrs. J. R. Anderson. To Be Better Lighted.

Extensive alterations are in progress at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, which at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, which will include a renovation of the exterior and interior, and the installation of the exterior and interior and inter

desired to go out, but was unable to find his shoes. He heatedly taxed his stepfather with stealing them, and is said to have become abusive. Advancing toward Allen in a threatening manner, he is said to have attempted to use force, when the latter picked up the gun, and standing several feet off, fired one barrel.

### ATTENDED CONVENTION

Robert T. Bibb Returns From I. Robert T. Bibb, train dispatchers. the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway, has to save \$10,000 a year from the \$25,000 returned from Los Angeles, Cal. "expense" appropriation for ten years where he attended the sessions of the and redeem the bonds when they mature. It is probable that such a proposition may meet with favor in the Council, but the present attitude of the Finance Committee is to delay all costly improvements until the next fiscal year.

Damages From Estate of Post-Office Robber.

According to the announcement made

### Swansboro Man Uses Shotgun But Superintendent Wants Large Sums for Repairs and Betterments.

GAS WORKS SHOWS

PUTS COST OF GAS AT \$.6684

Urges City to Plan for Future Growth and Better Service for Public.

After allowing for interest on the cost of the plant and other fixed charges, the City Gas Works made a substantial profit on its operations last yesterday. The report does not make any allowance for depreciation, though experience has shown that it has been every few years ir rehabilitation. In fact, Mr. Knowles asks in this report for the immediate outlay of more than \$100,000 in repairs and replacements, not counting the cost of extension of mains and the erection of a new ras-holder, the report giving the Impres-

of June. A total of 277 persons died in the second of the ing to the superintendent's calculations, of \$129,234.31. The total cost of production per 1,000 cubic feet was \$.6684, and the selling price \$100.

No Item of Depreciation.

plant and for other charges that apply against the works were it opnow urgently requests, will aggregate in cost approximately the entire amount of apparent profit shown from TAY, CRACKSMAN,

LOSES LARGE SUIT

made to show an apparent profit in operation by allowing the plant itself to deteriorate, thus playing into the hands of those members of the Council who for political purposes have been urging reductions in the selling price of gas without making any investigation of the condition and needs of the Gas works.

Manuel's Marriage in September. Sigmaringen, Germany, July 3.—
The marriage between former King Manuel of Portugal and Princess Augustine Victoria, daughter of Princes for September. The civil ceremony will be condition and needs of the Gas works. to show an apparent profit i Works.

There was expended during the year \$55,735.06 for new mains, which outlay some claim should be taken as offsetting the general depreciation of the plant, but as a matter of fact the outlay for mains has been added to the fixed total cost of the plant, bring-ing it to \$1,213,796.52, with no pro-

AWARDS CUNIMACI

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Charters were issued by the State Corporation Commission yesterday as follows:
Pocahontas ingrovement Company (Inc.),
Pocahontas, Va. Capital: Maximum, \$25,000;
minimum, \$2,000. H. Bert Wright, president;
J. M. Newton, vice-president; L. B. Crawford, secretary and treasurer—all of Pocahontas.

Seek Missing Youth.

The police yesterday were asked to look for Samuel Miller, fifteen years old, who ran away from his home, 519 Spring Street, several days ago. He is believed to have left the city in company with another youth.

Idea Barron. He mentioned several cases in which he claims he was not fairly treated.

Sommers and Miss Hirsch will be married. They would have been married to-day, but a difference of religious faith caused a delay.

### Get in Line To-Day

New styles in the Gans-Rady SPECIAL STRAWS at \$1.65 will be placed on sale to-day.

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### **BOARD REPORTS** HIGH DEATH RATE

year, according to the annual report June Mortality Figures Show Big Samuel L. Ullman, of 318 North Percentage for Colored People.

Extremely hot weather is advanced by the Health Department as partially accountable for the large number of deaths in Richmond during the month of June. A total of 277 persons died in this city last month, more than have died in any single month for several years. The nearest approach to this

### "OLD JON" EARNS LIFE REST

enworth is Retired. Leavenworth, Kan., July 3.—Old Jon, the favorite cavalry horse at Fort Leavenworth, after serving twenty-five years, has been retired to the fort's reservation, to the regret of all officers. The animal has served in the Fourth, Sixth, Ninth and Fourteenth Cavalry. Captain W. T. Johnston, of the Fifteenth Cavalry, issued orders to-day prohibiting any one from riding, driving or in any way molesting Old Jon in his well-earned retirement from active service. years, has been retired to the fort's from active service.

Lupton-Steele [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Winchester, Va., July 3.—William
Miller Lupton and Miss Mary Glenn Steele were married here to-day Rev. W. O. Talbert, pastor of the Southern Methodist Church. They went

to Atlantic City on their honeymoon

Golf Tourney in Lynchburg. Lynchburg, Va., July 3.—The Lynch-burg Country Club will hold a handicap golf tournament for its members to-morrow, play beginning at 10 cklock. The play will be confined to members of the club, and the men contestants will play for the Witt trophy, and the women for the Adkins cup. About fifty will take part in the

Alleges False Arrest.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Asheville, N. C., July 3.—Alleging Assevitie, N. C., July 3.—Alleging false arrest and imprisonment in the city jail without a warrant, almost a year ago, R. F. Sisk has filed suit against Chief of Police D. K. Lyerly and h's bondsmen, the Title Guaranty and Surety Company, in the Superio Court, seeking to recover damages in the amount of \$5,000. The plaintiff does not set forth the charge upon

## DISMISSES CASE

No Action Will Be Taken on Serious Charge Against Norfolk Man. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Norfolk, Va., July 3 .- Police Justice Barron to-day dismissed the case of Robert Sommers, the real estate dealer who was arrested on a warrant charg-ing assault upon his seventeen-yearold stenographer, Corrine Hirsch, daughter of A. Hirsh, 708 South Street, Portsmouth. When the case was first called up

this morning, Attorney Harry K. Wol-cott, counsel for the defendant, moved that it be tried by Justice Barron in-stead of Acting Police Justice Pitt. He stated that his reasons for asking were that Justice Pitt had written the warrant for Sommers's arrest, and also that he did not think "the mental attitude of Justice Pitt was such that the prisoner would be given a fair trial."

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Alien Ayers Advertising Agency (Inc.), Norfolk. Capital: Maximum, \$15,000; minimum, \$150.

Huber, vice-president; S. L. Slover, secretary and treasurer—all of Norfolk.

Amendment to foreign charters: Illinois. Surety Company, a corporation of Illinois. Increasing its maximum capital from \$250,000 to \$350,000.

Amendment to L. K. Comstock Company, a New York corporation, increasing its capital stock from \$20,000 to \$120,000. care to serve under the present ad-ministration. He charged that there was friction between himself and Jus-tice Barron. He mentioned several tice Barron. He mentioned several cases in which he claims he was not

### FILES PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY

Sixth Street, Wants Court Settlement.

Samuel L. Ullman, a retail groce

Negro Held for Stabbing.

Sylvester Gillesple, colored, was held for the grand jury yesterday morning in Police Court for stabbing Reuben Johnson, also colored.

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